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## Who Faw Down and Go Boom?

EDITOR JOURNAL:—There is a new and wonderful deaf and dumb club in Colorado. It calls itself the Arkansas Valley Deaf Club. Its letterhead claims that it is the "only deaf club of its kind from ocean to ocean."

It is.

I founded this club and thereby hangs a tale. The tale follows and while I am telling it, I might as well make it a historical sketch going back to the beginning of things and in which this wonderful club had its taproot.

I started the Colorado Association of the Deaf in 1904. It was on the occasion of the first re-union of the Colorado deaf, called on my initiative by the late Dr. William K. Argo, then Superintendent of the Colorado school. I presided over that re-union, prepared its entire program, called the convention into which it resolved itself to order, submitted a constitution which was adopted without alteration and to remain unchanged until I revised it last year.

I prepared the program also, and presided over the first sessions of the third convention held in Denver in 1908. I had decided that I did not choose to run. I was busy with other and larger affairs. I was then head of the National Association of the Deaf; was editor of the *Deaf American* published by that true patriot, Russell Smith, of Omaha, was conducting the campaign to remove the discrimination against the deaf in the Civil Service; was laying plans for the Moving Picture Fund; was raising funds for and otherwise arranging for the Colorado Springs international convention of the N. A. D. 1910. I was formulating a plan for federating the National Association; and last but not least had embroiled the American deaf for the first, last and only time in their history in a national Presidential campaign, Taft vs. Bryan.

So I decided that any Tom, Bill or Melchizedek might nibble and gobble the Colorado presidential persimmon.

The persimmon was gobbled by a gentleman named Mr. Kestner, who had been functioning for four years as secretary of the Association. I left shortly after the election on the second day to catch a train home, but remained long enough to see President-elect Kestner immediately joined himself into the seat of the mighty I had just vacated. The constitution of the Association requires that incoming officers can begin to function only on the adjournment of the convention at which they were elected. This was a pardonable oversight on Mr. Kestner's part. Unfortunately he left Denver and Colorado within a few weeks of his election and whatever brilliant plans or policies he may have had died aborning.

No official record of that third convention exists. The secretary's book contains not a line. The secretary who should have written that record was Mr. Kestner himself. Possibly some notes were left for his successor, but if so these notes were lost.

The first vice-president, the late Mr. Fred Reid, then automatically became head of the Association. That was in 1908. The next biennial convention would be due in 1910. At the time there were glorious prospects for a glorious convention of the N. A. D. in Colorado Springs. Though generalissimo of the national forces, I was only a humble, obscure private in the ranks of the Colorado Association. Nevertheless I screwed my courage to the sticking point and extended a warm invitation to Mr. Reid to hold the State convention in Colorado Springs synchronously with that of the National Association; I pledged a hall for the meetings and every possible accommodation and courtesy free of cost. The invitation was thumbs-downed. Maybe I was suspected of sinister intentions. Anyway, I faw down and go boom. And that was that.

The Association became comatose and remained so from 1908 until 1924, a period of sixteen years. Then certain deaf denizens of Denver became restive and demanded to know the whyness of this hibernation.

It would have been a simple matter for Mr. Reid to have issued a call for the convention. Instead I was requested to emulate the example of *Cincinnatus* at the plough, bitt to each and all he returned an Arctic hearted refusal.

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endowment fund of the Association. Unfortunately the gentleman whom I had picked as the twelve-cylinder motor of the scheme had been out of work for a long time, was not in anything like robust health, and felt blue and embittered because of wounds inflicted by the slings and arrows of outrageous fortune. So that little scheme faw down and go boom.

Then Pueblo, forty-two miles south of Colorado Springs, began to look like a nice convention place. Pueblo is a town of about 45,000 people, about fifteen of whom are adult deaf ladies and gentlemen. Only one of these is a speaking person, Mr. Alfred J. Lamoreaux. Mr. Lamoreaux fills a highly responsible position in the civil service of the State of Colorado. His job is to renovate mattresses rendered temporarily untenable by the irresponsible inmates of the State Insane Asylum—he claimed there were 2,800 of them, inmates, not mattresses—either renovate them or replace them, mattresses, not inmates. Mr. Lamoreaux was and is the only deaf person in Pueblo who can claim an extensive acquaintance with the dictionary, but though this bell-wether of the Pueblo flock it had never taken steps to establish a Pueblo society of the deaf.

As first step toward a convention in Pueblo I thought then should be such a club. I also believed such a club would be a nice thing for the Pueblo deaf. I would either have to go down personally and jack things up, or, preferring to stay in the background, get some one else to do it. A gentleman named Mr. Simpson, to whom I had confided my plans, volunteered to be my handy-andy. I had made this gentleman prominent at the last two conventions, had appointed him to important committees, and trusted him completely.

Mr. Simpson is not a Colorado product. His original habitat was Kansas, from whence he emigrated to Baca County, Col., about fifteen years ago. I had a rather hazy notion where Baca County might be. I supposed it might be no more than a hog, skip and jump from Pueblo, and was flabbergasted when I learned that it was nearly two hundred miles away. I began to wonder how my good friend Simpson could afford either the time or the gasoline to make the 400-mile trips to and from Pueblo. But that was his funeral, and as long as he seemed happy in the job, I had no kick against. Besides Mr. Simpson seemed to impress one as being something of a Croesus with a lot of cows, and pigs and acres and such.

Mr. Simpson wrote me a ream of interesting letters, so many that I almost came to believe that voluminous letter writing on various subjects was a necessary qualification for success in the cow business. I reciprocated and suggested that the new club be called the Pueblo Society, or Club, of the Deaf. Mr. Simpson asked my permission to call it the Arkansas Valley Deaf Club. I saw no harm, and willing to humor friend Simpson told him to go to it. Thus this wonderful club, the only deaf club of its kind from ocean to ocean was born in October, 1927.

But the new Club seemed a long time getting over its nursing bottle stage. I jabbed friend Simpson several times—as vice-president he functioned at every meeting in the absence of the president—till hurry up with the invitation to hold our convention in Pueblo. For one, I did not want an invitation from Timbuctoo to beat Pueblo to the tape, and again I wanted the Pueblo deaf to have plenty of time to fill a stupendous war chest for the convention entertainment in the first place, for the Association endowment fund in the second place, and a moiety in the third place, to go to the only deaf and dumb club of its kind betwixt the Arctic and Antarctic.

The invitation finally came after a wait of four months and was immediately submitted to our Board and all voted aye. So Pueblo it was.

I appointed a local committee and as chairman named our friend Mr. Lamoreaux. Mr. Lamoreaux is a bright young man of sixty who has many interesting tales to tell of his doings during these sixty or so years.

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Ohmigosh! by the middle of August not even the raffle tickets had been printed. Neither of the two gentlemen knew how to go about that job. I wrote the copy myself, sent it to my friend Mr. John S. Fisher in Denver and told him to print 600, with 200 extra to sell in Denver. Then to my pleasant surprise, Mr. Simpson, seeing he had only to ask, requested 400 additional tickets.

That made 1,200 in all, I gave Mrs. Veditz 150 tickets and asked her to sell them. She went and did so. The rest of the tickets, \$50, were sent to Mr. Simpson to be distributed in his bawlicwick. That raffle netted close to \$100. All along friend Simpson's Macedonian cry had been money, money, money my kingdom for a lot of money! That seemed funny to me, as even without this last raffle the committee with the Commerce Club bonus would have ample funds for all necessary expenses.

The convention took place as scheduled September 1st, 2d and 3d, the last date being Labor Day. As a convention and having-a-good-time affair it was a great success. And that is about all that our convention, and in fact most conventions, amount to. The main thing is to give each participant something nice to hark back to in memory's vistas.

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In view of our long-continued policy, it seems hardly necessary to say that religious—that is, sectarian—discussion will not be permitted in the columns of the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL.

Announcements of religious services and other observances is quite proper.

But debates on the advisability of attending this or that church, and comparisons of the superiority of this or that sect, will be promptly put in the waste basket.

This paper is published in the interests of all the deaf, and does not make unfair distinctions in the matter of differing creeds, and any writing of a proselytizing nature is not regarded with favor and will not be encouraged.

This is written, because there have lately been sent letters for publication that could not conscientiously be printed, as they included reflections on the work of those who thought otherwise. This is a secular newspaper devoted to the deaf and their uplift. Papers with an acknowledged sectarian bias and engaged in religious propaganda are the proper medium for religious discussions.

There are over fifty-five religious beliefs, with numerous followers, catalogued in the record of denominational groups in the United States, and it does not behove any one to discuss them antagonistically or otherwise. That is up to the churches, or the papers that are published for the advancement of religion. The Constitution of the United States concedes freedom of worship to all, and it is not becoming for any one to criticise it.

An individual who considers his own particular creed to be the right one, should confine his efforts to being loyal and faithful to that creed, and not assume that his own standard is the gauge of measurement for all mankind.

THE indomitable George W. Veditz is on the warpath. Always a foe to error, he is doubly incensed that it should crawl under the canvas and stain the good name and reputation of the deaf of Colorado. Although he does not say so in words, he expects to see marshalled for the fight all good and true deaf warriors from Pike's Peak to the Royal Gorge. His contention is that, either through design or misunderstanding, a certain number have been led to attempt wreck Colorado's bona fide organization. The faithful deaf should listen to the clarion call:

Press where you see my white plume shine,  
Swashbucklers of the right,  
I'll lead trusts cohorts to the fray,  
Beneath the Peak of Pike.

The deaf should always rally to the support of men who are real leaders, whose ability and integrity have stood the test of time.

## BUFFALO

Anyone interested in the 1930 N. A. D. convention, and desiring information and free literature, should write to Charles N. Snyder, Secretary-Publicity, 58 Harrison Avenue, Lockport, N. Y.

William Jodoin, Joseph Salazzo and Benjamin Grabowski visited an old classmate at St. Catharines, Ont., March 24th, and report a grand time. They also stopped off in Rochester, where they visited the Eagles' clubhouse.

Mr. Thomas Hinckley, of Syracuse, spent the Easter vacation here, the guest of Thomas Hunt, returning home April 1st.

William Laczynski and Joseph Koszarck, the famed "Gold Dust" twins, are rejoicing in the possession of a brand new Nash sedan and are justly proud of their investment.

The clarion call is out. For the past two years, Charles Snyder, of Lockport, has been acting as sub-agent for Buffalo and environs for Dr. Thomas Fox, of New York, in collection of funds for the E. M. Gallandet Memorial. There are some outstanding pledges which should be paid in before a final report is made to Dr. Fox. Further contributions to the good cause is solicited, that will go to help New York State exceed her quota.

Thomas Muldowney, who has been working in a basket factory for the past few winter months in Lockport, drew up spikes and is back in Buffalo, and like Micawber of old, is "waiting for something to turn up."

This section, in common with other parts of the country, is experiencing the inconveniences of a backward season, Spring literally "lingering in the lap of winter," as far as the vagaries of the weather are concerned. But then we see a lot of robins roaming about, which gives us assurance that the worst is about over. Here's hoping.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Basher gave a birthday party in their home St. Patrick's Day, in honor of the birthday anniversary of their charming daughter, Irene. Pedro was played, first prize, a year's subscription to the *Catholic Deaf-Mute*, going to William Jodoin. Altogether a very pleasant time was had and dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy, of Eggertsville, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, this second, on March 21st. She has been named Pauline.

We hear that Miss Helen Fisher is in the J. N. Adam Hospital at Perrysburg to undergo treatment for some ailment, and her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

The card party held April 20th, under the auspices of Buffalo, No. 40, N. F. S. D., was a greater success than was anticipated on account of the inclement weather, about 80 being present. Prizes were awarded the winners and refreshments served. It was midnight when it was over and was voted one grand time. Mr. Felix Nowak was in charge of the affair.

William Kluge, Mr. and Mrs. Reinbold, of North Tonawanda, and Mrs. H. Rhinelander, of Buffalo, had a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ginsbittel, at Forks, April 14th.

Among those noticed at the Frat card party April 20th, was John Dolph, formerly of Erie, Pa., but who is now employed as compositor on a weekly paper at Dansville. He has beaten about the country a good deal and gives entertaining narratives.

April 3d, at the Y. W. C. A., the Kicuwa girls held their fourth monthly party in honor of two of their members, Miss Katherine Lehmann and Mrs. William Haenszel, whose birthdays happened in the same month. The table was prettily decorated in pink and well laden with delicious refreshments, to which all did ample justice.

Mrs. Barney Goldstein was the only member absent, on account of illness. Janis Haenszel, daughter of Mrs. Haenszel, was a guest. Miss Lehmann received a pair of silk stockings, which will make a hit with the gay Lotharios at convention time, and Mrs. Haenszel was made happy with a pretty housedress. Altogether it was voted a most enjoyable occasion by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ulrich, with Goliath, Jr., spent April 14th with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clemen, at their home in Tonawanda.

Adolph Klein, youngest son of William Klein, who is vice-president of the John Hancock Life Insurance Co., was in Akron, O., a few days, on business. His other son, Nathan, recently left Oklahoma for Denver, Col.

The Niagara Falls Sewing Club held their card and bridge party at Mrs. John Knorr's, April 25th.

First prize, a lemon squeezer, was awarded to Mrs. Herbert Webber; Mrs. Adolph Ulrich captured the booby prize, a dish towel. Refreshments were served by the hostess and everybody reported a lovely time.

A Federal quarantine prohibits the importation into the State of nursery stock after 1930. State experiment stations are now testing seedling stock of various kinds to provide a home-grown supply.

## The Capital City

This seems to be the season of weddings, as is usually the case in the spring. There were 21 marriages here Saturday, April 13th. Of interest to the deaf society was the marriage of Miss Ruth Alberta Leitch, Washington's favorite young lady, to Mr. Edwin Isaacson, a promising young man, formerly of Minnesota, but now of Washington, which took place at seven o'clock in Alexandria, Virginia. They intended to keep it a secret, but somehow it leaked out and the report spread rapidly. The young couple received congratulations at the Baptist Mission after the services, April 28th.

The newly-weds expect to take their honeymoon in June, probably to Minnesota, as Mr. Isaacson could not at present get off from this work at the Government Printing office.

The bride has lived here from time to time ever since she was a little girl, receiving her education at the Kendall School. The bride is very attractive and very talented, having presented several clever stage performances.

Congratulations are pouring in on them from far and near.

A new stone foundation is now being erected around the residence of the Simon B. Alleys at 328 Tenth Street, N. E.

A card party was held at the home of Mrs. Duncan Smoak, Thursday evening, April 23rd. Mesdames Boswell and Jean Edington won the prizes.

The next Thursday evening card party will be given at the home of Mrs. S. B. Alley, May 9th. Mesdames Quintley and Parker will assist the hostess.

An important business meeting will be held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Bryant, Monday, May 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Isaacson, the newly-weds, will visit the latter's mother in the country during the weekend of May 12th.

The National Literary Society will have a May party under the direction of Mr. S. B. Alley, on the evening of May 15th, at the Northeast Masonic temple. The most beautiful girl among the deaf set is Mrs. Edwin Isaacson (Ruth Leitch). She has been chosen to act in "Glorifying the May Party."

Come, every one of you, bring your beau and sweetheart along, and you all will enjoy many good laughs.

Miss Jennie Jones has resumed her work now, after two months' rest.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alley spent April 27th to May 6th visiting the former's parents in Roanoke, Virginia.

Mr. Louis Schulte motored to Pittsburgh a few weeks ago on business.

A new sink was built in the kitchen of Mr. and Mrs. William Broome last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Watkins were in Washington, the guests of the H. S. Edingtons.

Miss Francis Stuckert, of Doylestown, Pa., was in Washington visiting old friends.

Mr. H. S. Edington celebrated his natural day recently. He is sixty-six years of age. Congratulations.

There was a large attendance at the Baptist Mission, Sunday evening, April 28th. The theme was "Contrast." Miss Nora Nanney rendered a hymn.

The writer received a card from Mississippi. It reads as follows:

"Did it ever occur to you that a man's life is full of crosses and temptations? He comes into the world without his consent, and the trip between is exceedingly rocky. The rule of contraries is one of the features of this trip.

When he is little, the big girls kiss him; when he is big, the little girls kiss him. If he is poor, he is a bad manager; if he is rich, he is dishonest. If he needs credit, he can not get it; if he is prosperous, everyone wants to do him a favor.

If he is in politics, it is for graft; if he is out of politics, he is no good to the country. If he does not give to charity, he is a stingy cuss; if he does, it is for show. If he is actively religious, he is hypocrite; if he takes no interest in religion, he is a hardened sinner.

If he gives affection, he is a soft specimen; if he cares for no one, he is cold-blooded. If he dies young, there was a great future for him; if he lives to old age, he missed his calling.

If you save money, you are a grouch, If you spend it, you are a loafer, If you get it, you are a grafter, If you do not get it, you are a bum, So, what the Dickens is the use!"

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A Federal quarantine prohibits the importation into the State of nursery stock after 1930. State experiment stations are now testing seedling stock of various kinds to provide a home-grown supply.

## Canadian News

News items for this column, and subscriptions, may be sent to Herbert W. Roberts, 278 Armada Ave., Toronto, Ont.

## TORONTO TIDINGS

Mrs. Charles J. Pettiford lost her only remaining sister, Mrs. Bert Thompson, of Rochester, N. Y., lately, and now Mrs. Pettiford is the only one left of the original Hunt family of this city.

Mr. Sam. Pugsley lost a good cousin by death on April 13th, in the person of Mrs. Ivan Stadders, who passed on to the great beyond at Selkirk, Ont. She suffered greatly from a cancerous growth.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott, of Long Branch, were guests of Mr. A. W. Mason and his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Mason, on April 21st.

That smiling chap from Churchill, Mr. Harry Sloan, was down in our midst over the week-end of April 20th.

Mr. Ewart Hall was up for his preliminary examinations with a view of entering the Civil Service, and now his name is on the list of those who will be automatically taken on. We trust that will be soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil A. McGillivray and David Lawrence, journeyed down to Birch Cliffe, on April 21st, where they spent the day very nicely with Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Bell and in the evening, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Rooney and Horace Greig dropped in for a fireside chat.

Our Sunday Schools in the West and East ends of the city, are now showing an increased attendance, which is a blessed omen. The various teachers are using their best efforts to make the services interesting and profitable.

Mr. Ernest Hackbush took another jaunt out to Hamilton for the weekend of April 20th, on a pleasure and business errand.

Our Girls' Progressive Club held its closing meeting on April 22d, but owing to lack of advance notice the full membership was not on hand, but those who were there had a merry time, taking sides on the debate of "Married vs. Single Life."

Frank E. Harris concluded his second series of talks on Biblical phrases at our Epworth League, on April 24th, when he expounded the seven rules that make up a real Christian life. There was a good turnout.

At time of writing, the condition of Mrs. R. C. Slater is causing her friends much concern and we are very sorry to hear of it for she has been a true and affectionate friend to the deaf for many years.

A good number of his friends got together and gave Mr. Horace Greig, a very pleasant surprise party at his home on April 24th, and you should have seen how bewildered he looked as the "gang" swarmed in and caught him all alone. A very good time was spent in all kinds of fun, with a hearty feast on eats at the close. Horace received many lovely presents as a memento of the affair.

Our Women's Association staged a movie show at the Brigden-Nasmith Hall, on Saturday night, April 20th, and despite the inclement weather and other attractions they managed to raise a good little sum.

Mr. Ernest Peterkin has returned from her fortnight's visit to her cousin, Mrs. Louie LeBay in New York City, with whom she spent a very delightful time.

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## WATERLOO WEE BITS

A good crowd is expected to greet Mr. Howard J. Lloyd, of Brantford, when he comes to address the meeting in Kitchener on May 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Williams and family, of Kitchener, Miss Viola Johnston, of this city, and Mr. Lewis Patterson, of Galt, were guests of the Moynihans on April 21st.

Mr. Frank Walker was able to leave the hospital lately, but is still far from strong. His physician has advised him to undergo an operation, but Frank is averse to such a move.

Your Toronto representative, H. W. Roberts, was out in this burg, on April 21st, renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. John S. Bartley is just now busy building a new henney in the rear of his home, in which he hopes to house some good egg layers.

## CHICAGO

Both the Sac and Pas gave "farewell affairs" at their respective quarters, April 27th. The Pas-a-Pas Club has moved to 19 South Wells Street, which out-of-towners will be glad to learn is also on the rim of the loop, being a few doors south of Madison Street, where their now-and-then visits will find them welcomed on the same old terms. This is the first time both the Pas and Frat Headquarters have been located on the same thoroughfare—two blocks apart.

The Silent Athletic Club carded its wwan song soiree when the final sale of the historic premises seemed assured—just as the bonds came due for redemption. This \$25,000 bond issue was floated when the property was purchased ten years ago, on the termination of the war. But somehow the negro porters coterie backed out of completing the bargain, and the Sac is still on the market. However, nobody worries; Johnnie Sullivan is on the job and everybody gets his or her money in due time, as about half of the bonds were retired gradually, and the property is worth fully four times the outstanding obligations. Most of the bondholders have signed extensions at 5%. Even Sullivan's enemies admit he is an undoubted business genius, for a deaf man. But for him, the rising tide of color which has now completely submerged what was once "Flickville" would have thrown the property into bankruptcy, and those who branded the Sac bonds as "bad gamble" years go would have had a chance to croak "I told you so."

Our social leaders, the Robert Blairs, left for five weeks in California the morning after that grand charity ball they managed for the Illinois Home for Aged Deaf. This was by far the most pretentious function the oralists have handled yet, and they came through with an elan which amazed the old manualists. Although tickets were one dollar apiece and the weather horrible, 217 passed the door. Twenty-two tables of "500" for nice prizes rewarded those who did not care to prance. And, say, out of the hundred faces on the dance floor, I did not recognize more than a dozen as having been dancing ten years ago.

A large number of deaf people gathered at the Silent Athletic Club house Saturday, April 27th, for a farewell party, held by the club for the first time in some months. Some of the guests passed a social evening in playing "500" and bunco in the parlor and the others in dancing in the hall.

Among the out-of-town visitors at the party were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Herring, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ehrhart and Stanley Bondick, all hailing from Rockford, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Knauf, of Aurora, Ill., and others from surrounding towns.

Mrs. M. Huff, who had remained one week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes in Batavia, Ill., where she was attended by a doctor. After the treatment she was accompanied home in Chicago by Mrs. Holmes Saturday, April 27th. Then Mrs. Holmes stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat. O'Brien for two days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kestal, of Manhattan, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Knauf, of Aurora, Ill., were at the Ephpheta Club house Sunday morning, April 28th, when a mass with Holy Communion was held in the chapel. After breakfast, all passed a social morning in conversation.

Mrs. C. B. Kemp had the kid club at her home last week and "500" followed. As one kid said, "Mother Kemp knows how to entertain."

Mr. and Mrs. Erickson entertained some invited deaf friends at a party at their home Saturday, April 27th. They report merry time.

Mrs. Dora McCoy went to Steger, Ill., last week to visit her schoolmate, Mrs. A. Pond, who is improving from a second operation.

Mrs. H. Rutherford, who went to Wichita, Kan., two weeks ago, to see her sick father, sent a telegram to Mr. and Mrs. James Gibney Sunday, April 28th, stating her father died.

A Mardi Gras carnival and dance will be held by the Central Oral Club at Occidental Hall, 14 North Sacramento Boulevard, near Madison. Prizes for best costumes and admission fifty cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gatton with children came from Detroit, Mich., in a motor bus and appeared at the farewell party at the Silent Athletic Club house April 27th.

Edward W. Carlson won first prize of fifty dollars, for the best group of miniature paintings, at the Sixteenth Annual Swedish American Art Exhibit at the Swedish Club of Chicago last week.

Mrs. Walter Whitson managed a cafeteria at the M. E. April 24th.

James Nelson, of Muskegon, Mich., spent a week-end with the Dahls.

Friends gave a good by party and Miss Kate Leerhoff, who has gone back to Clarksville, Ia., to take care of her brother's family. She may return anon.

Bill Belenske, employed at the Fisher Body Co., in Flint, spent a week with Jack Seipp.

The spacious home of the Ingval Dahls seems to be a sort of clubhouse, for the Minnesota Swedes—there is a party there nearly every week. Their latest Svenska shindig came off on the 21st.

The Lutherans will give a "500" party June 1st.

Gus Anderson is back after ten days in North Dakota, where he buried his aged father.

Samuel Frankenheim, of New York, was stopping in Chicago Friday, April 26th, on business for some time.

Miss Lotta Kinkley, hailing from Indianapolis, is in Chicago in search of a job.

The name of Joseph S. Gordon has been changed to Julian S. Gordon, as he has inherited the name of Julius from his ancestors.

The Moeller Sewing Club meets at the Ephpheta Club house every Thursday, except on the first Thursday of each month.

Don't forget to attend a two-day bazaar at Rev. Flick's church May 17th to 18th, for the benefit of the Home for Aged Deaf.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Clark were invited to a birthday party given at her sister's home in Chicago April 20th. After a five-day stay with her sister, Mrs. Clark returned home, enjoying a delightful ride in a motor bus.

Word was received of the death of Mrs. Tracy Jones' nephew, Clarence Wartzik, of Madison, Wis., which occurred last Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. Goff and family attended the funeral, which was held on Wednesday.

A number of deaf alumni from Milwaukee, Madison, Racine and Kenosha, also other towns, attended the annual gym exhibition at the State School for the Deaf at Delavan, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis, and children, and the elder Mr. Davis, of Madison, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Jones last Saturday evening. They also attended the Gym Exhibition at the Wisconsin State School.

Messrs. Percy Goff and Harry Wille, residing at Delavan, Wis., motored to Rockford, Ill., Sunday, and attended the performance of Tom Mix and his pet horse "Tony."

Mrs. C. Clarke had a letter from Mrs. Emma Wade, a widow residing at Frametown, West Virginia, saying she is in need of a second husband. She is a cousin of Mrs. Clarke's first husband, Mr. Fox, deceased.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Root here will sorry to hear of the man's loss of three fingers in a Syracus, N. Y., bakery. She attended the service at the Methodist headquarters one Sunday last August, when the pastor was away on his annual vacation.

Donald Philip is the name of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Ted James Haskell and born on Monday, April 22d. Both child and mother doing well. This is Rev. and Mrs. Hasenstab's second grandson.

Four wicker rocking chairs and two arm chairs with cushioned seats were recently bought for the Methodist Headquarters.

Mrs. H. Odom gives the following news about the doings of the colored deaf:—

Mr. Lee Long, of "Our Own," who was among those that migrated to the "Motor City" (Detroit, Mich.), is spending a fortnight or so in the city visiting his mother.

Mrs. Lillian Sommers and her sister, Mrs. Rill Phillips, were summoned to Eddyville, Ky., last week to the bedside of their mother, who is reported critically ill. They have our sympathy.

Mr. C. B. Poole, whom the fair ones claim is "asc handsome as handsome," announces to his host of friends that the 12th of next month is his natal day, consequently a "Big-party" befitting the occasion will be given at his residence on Vernon Avenue.

Mrs. Erma Hunt, of Detroit, Mich., was in the city last week mingling with friends. Several social functions were given in her honor. She departed home last Tuesday.

Miss Mary H. Davis was the charming hostess to an informal whist party, at her apartment on Champlain Avenue, last Friday night. After games were played a dainty little luncheon was served. The guests departed for home unanimous in their praise of her as a most capable hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Martin and Lee R. Bates were present.

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### Philadelphia

The Tenth Anniversary Banquet of the Silent Athletic Club of Philadelphia will be held on Saturday evening, June 15th, 1929, at McAllister, 1811 Spring Garden Street.

Prominent speakers will be present and vaudeville programs also have been arranged. Photographs of all who are promptly present, have been positively arranged. The event is called for 8 A.M. sharp. Ladies also will be admitted.

Anybody who wishes to attend the banquet, will communicate with the chairman before June 5th.

The charge is \$3.50 per plate, including free photographs, cigars, cigarettes, etc. Please remember the date.

Very truly yours,  
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## ST. LOUIS

The Gallaudet School held its annual entertainment last month with a short three-act play, dances and classroom work by the various classes of pupils. The evening closed with a dance. The usual crowd of friends and relatives of the pupils attended, together with many of the local deaf, as this is one of the occasions where parents of the present pupils can get acquainted with the adult deaf and solve their mutual problems together with advantages to both.

In spite of general slackness in work, three couples here have improved the opportunity to buy their own homes, all in the northern end of the town. The McDaniels were first to purchase a new four-room bungalow, while the Brockmanns are just moving in theirs. The Ernest Millers have a lot and are looking over plans to build on it at once.

The father of Mrs. Oscar Bloch died recently. She has the sympathy of her friends.

Mrs. Arnot entertained the "500" club at her home recently on the 17th, and Miss Wilson came out ahead, with Mrs. Steideman as a second. A good time was had by the club members. Refreshments were served after the games.

The regular monthly social of St. Thomas Mission was held on the 27th, and turned into a chop-suey and carnival by Mrs. Moegle, the chairman of the evening, and her assistants. Many came from work and had their dinners served in cafeteria style from the ample kitchen of the Tuttle Memorial, where the social was held. Games were played, with prizes for the lucky ones and a good time was had.

Credit for the success of the affair goes to the wives of the members of St. Thomas Mission, who ran it from top to bottom. The net profits were the greatest ever.

The marriage of Miss Grace Grant to Mr. Antony Spicuzzi was celebrated in the chapel of the local Catholic school on April 13th. The bride formerly was a teacher in the school ere her marriage. A bridal shower was given her by her friends on Easter Sunday at the school.

Mrs. Elizabeth Garth went to Collinsville, Ill., last week, to call on Mrs. Allabough, the widow of the late Rev. Brewster R. Allabough, who is now living with relatives there. Mrs. Allabough has been an glad for a long time and is always glad to see her old friends.

The patrons of the Gallaudet School gave a lemon party on the 19th. Each comer brought a lemon and the price of admission was the number of seeds in the lemon at a cent each, with a prize for the largest number, which was won by one bringing in a grapefruit.

The relay was an easy win, although the Hatchetites

furnished some anxious moments in the last stretch. Gallagher was handicapped by a strained muscle, and after taking second place in the century, had to withdraw from the 220 and 440 yards events, in which he had been counted upon to show up well.

On the whole, the records show that we have an excellent team this year, well worthy of praise.

Following is the summary of the meet:—

100 Yard Dash—Tarsches, (G. W.), Gallagher, Byouk, (G. C.), 10.4-5 sec.

880 Yard Run—Dobson, (G. C.), Peterson, Stevens, (G. W.), 2.05 2.5.

Javelin Throw—Gallagher, Hokanson, (G. C.), Suter, (G. W.), 14.5 3.4 feet.

220 Yard Dash—Tarsches, (G. W.), Byouk, Cosgrove, (G. C.), 23.3-5 sec.

Broad Jump—Miller, (G. W.), Ridings, Gallagher, (G. C.), 19.65 feet.

One Mile Run—Chetwood, Fairman, (G. W.), Dobson, (G. C.), 4.40 1.5.

Discus Throw—Anderson, Suter, (G. W.), Byouk, (G. C.), 117.5 feet.

Pole Vault—Ridings, Yoder, and Stebbins tied on default 8 feet.

220 Low Hurdles—Byouk, (G. C.), Wardwell, (G. W.), Altizer, (G. C.), 28.3-5 sec.

High Jump—Stebbins, (G. C.), Wardwell, (G. C.) and Miller, (G. W.) tied for second and third places, 5 feet 4 in.

440 Yard Run—Stevens, (G. W.), Ringle, Byouk, (G. C.), 53.3-5 sec.

Two Mile Run—Fairman, Chetwood, (G. W.), Grinnell, (G. C.), 10.54 2.5.

Shot Put—Ringle, Byouk, (G. C.), Suter, (G. W.), 37.95 feet.

One Mile Relay—Gallaudet, (Cosgrove, Wurdemann, Byouk, Ringle), 3.42 3.5 sec.

It is probable that this year we will inaugurate a record book of all events in track and field in any meet during the season. We now have an interclass meet record, but it often happens that a man does better in other meets than in the interclass meet, so that this new record will constitute the real college record. We would like to include in this all marks set by former runners and field performers, but we have no record of these marks, so the compilation will have to begin with this year.

The happy couple will reside in the southern part of the city. They are one of the most popular younger deaf in local social circles, and their many friends wish them the greatest success and happiness in their married life together.

Mrs. Edward Miller has left the hospital after three years' internment, pronounced cured of tuberculosis, and with her husband plans to unite her scattered family and begin anew, having a home of her own. Her husband's father recently died of dropsy, after a sickness of long duration. Mr. Joe Miller, one of the Miller boys, came from Chicago for a short visit to see his father before he died.

Clint Forrest, while taking some friends riding recently, skidded at a signal stop and Mrs. Helen Cowhick was thrown out of the car. Save but a few slight bruises, she escaped uninjured. It was a lucky break for her, as one could easily have broken some bones in such an accident.

The Fashion Show next Friday is expected to draw a large host of visitors to Kendall Green.

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## OHIO

Mr. Frank Craft, of Warren, died very suddenly April 15th. He was found by his son in an unconscious condition near his garden hot-bed. Medical aid was hastily summoned, but it was found that life was gone. He probably suffered a stroke or had heart failure. With his widow are left a son and two daughters to mourn. He was a highly respected man in the country where he lived. He graduated from the Ohio school in 1885.

April 28th, Rev. F. C. Smielau conducted an interesting service to a good crowd at Trinity Parish House, Columbus, at 10:45. The same day found him in Springfield for an afternoon service there, and then at 7:30 in the evening he was greeted in Cincinnati.

Mr. Walter Kurtz, one of the many deaf employed at the school, met with a painful accident April 29th. When at his work, an ice-cream freezer fell on this wrist, badly fracturing it. Now Mr. Kurtz is taking a forced rest from active work.

Mrs. Marquis, better-known as Pauline Jones, is substituting now for Miss Frost in the high school department. Miss Frost has sufficiently recovered from her operation as to able to return soon to her school work.

Looking through the school's hospital we found it about deserted, which speaks well for the general health of our students. There are always a few mishaps with slight injuries to be taken care of, but little real illness at present.

Among the visitors were Mrs. Van Allen and her married daughter, relict of the late Rev. H. Van Allen, who for many year had charge of the mission field of Central New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Goldfogel and their daughter, Hattie, witnessed the laying of the corner-stone of the Rodeph Sholom Temple, Eighty-third Street, near Central Park, last Sunday. Hon. Henry G. Goldfogel, a brother of Mr. Goldfogel, president of the congregation, conducted the ceremony and Mayor Walker participated.

Charles Sussman, the chairman having charge of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League's Spring Carnival, which takes place this Saturday evening, May 11th, at the Turn Hall, Lexington Avenue and 85th Street, desires to inform the friends and patrons of the club that there will be dancing contests, for which liberal cash prizes will be awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ohlemacher are again proud grandparents, as another daughter was born to their daughter, Mrs. Birdsall (Helen Ohlemacher), on April 24th.

Mrs. Edward Merrick (Minnie Shropshire), who was badly injured by a street car a few weeks ago, has been removed from the hospital to her home at 308½ East Main Street.

The Columbus Art Gallery being only a block from the school, Mr. Zell often takes some of his art classes there to see the many fine art treasures on exhibition. In so doing, his students see what artists are doing and have accomplished.

The Ohio Home had several Sunday visitors last week including Mr. and Mrs. Zorn and family, of Columbus; Mr. Fred Krentzfeld and Mr. Ray Beerman with their families from Port Clinton, Ohio.

At the Akron benefit supper, March 23d, given in the Goodyear Hall by the Akron Advance Society, with about 200 present, Cleveland and Akron were represented. Bunco and "500" gave entertainment after the supper. Cash prizes were awarded. Mrs. Kreigh B. Ayers was the chairman of the affair, and about \$153 was realized when all was over.

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